CLAIM AMENDMENTS:

Please amend claims 1,3, 7, 9, 12 and 14 as shown below in a marked up version of the entire set of pending claims per 37 CFR § 1.121(c). No new matter has been added by the amendments to these claims.

Please cancel claims 2, 8 and 13 without waiver or prejudice to the subject matter claimed.

Please add new claims 16-20 as shown below in the following complete listing of claims in the application with each claim's current status indicated per 37 CFR § 1.121(c). No new matter has been added by the addition of these claims.

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

1.   (currently amended): A method for configuring a electronic module within a vehicle comprising:

determining a first vehicle identification number stored in the electronic module;

determining a second vehicle identification number stored in the vehicle;

comparing the first vehicle identification number from the electronic module and the second vehicle identification number from the vehicle; and

configuring the electronic module based on the comparison a mismatch detected between the first vehicle identification number and the second vehicle identification number.

2.   (cancelled)

3.   (currently amended): The method of claim 1 wherein configuring the electronic module comprises:

initiating a predefined configuration process;~~and~~

modifying an electronic module parameter; and

storing the second vehicle identification number determined   from the vehicle to the memory of the electronic module thereby replacing the first vehicle identification number with the second vehicle identification number in the electronic module.

4.   (original): The method of claim 1 wherein configuring the electronic module comprises:

reading a stored configuration table;

determining an electronic module parameter contained in the stored configuration table; and

modifying the electronic module parameter based on the parameter in the stored configuration table.

5.   (original): The method of claim 1 wherein determining the first vehicle identification number stored in the electronic module is initiated upon power-up of the electronic module.

6.   (original): The method of claim 1 wherein the memory of the electronic module is a non-volatile random access memory.

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7.   (currently amended): A computer usable medium including a program for configuring an electronic module within a vehicle comprising:

computer program code for determining a first vehicle identification number stored in the electronic module;

computer program code for determining a second vehicle identification number stored in the vehicle;

computer program code for comparing the first vehicle identification number from the electronic module and the second vehicle identification number from the vehicle; and

computer program code for configuring the electronic module based on the comparison a mismatch detected between the first vehicle identification number and the second vehicle identification number.

8.   (cancelled)

9.   (currently amended): The computer usable medium of claim 7 wherein the computer program code for configuring the electronic module comprises:

computer program code for initiating a predefined configuration process;and

computer program code for modifying an electronic module parameter; and

computer program code for writing the second vehicle   identification number determined from the vehicle to the memory of the electronic module thereby replacing the first vehicle identification number   with the second vehicle identification number in the electronic module.

10.   (original):The computer usable medium of claim 7 wherein, the computer program code for configuring the electronic module comprises:

        computer program code for reading a stored configuration table;

        computer program code for determining an electronic module parameter contained in the stored configuration table; and

        computer program code for modifying the electronic module parameter based on the parameter in the stored configuration table.

11.   (original): The computer usable medium of claim 7 wherein the computer program code for determining the first vehicle identification number stored in an electronic module is initiated upon power-up of the electronic module.

12.   (currently amended): A system for configuring an electronic module within a vehicle comprising:

        means for determining a first vehicle identification number stored in the electronic module;

        means for determining a second vehicle identification number stored in the vehicle;

        means for comparing the first vehicle identification number from the electronic module and the second vehicle identification number from the vehicle; and

        means for configuring the electronic module based on ~~the comparison~~ a mismatch detected between the first vehicle identification number and the second vehicle identification number.

13.   (cancelled)

14.   (currently amended): The system of claim 12 wherein means for configuring the electronic module comprises:

means for initiating a predefined configuration process;~~and~~

means for modifying an electronic module parameter: and

means for writing the second vehicle identification number determined from the vehicle to the memory of the electronic module_ thereby replacing the first vehicle identification number with the second   vehicle identification number in the electronic module.

15.   (original): The system of claim 12 wherein means for configuring the electronic module comprises:

means for reading a stored configuration table;

means for determining an electronic module parameter contained in the stored configuration table; and

means for modifying the electronic module parameter based on the parameter in the stored configuration table.

16.   (new): The method of claim 1 wherein configuring an electronic module comprises placing a call to a telematics call center and receiving the electronic module parameter from the call center.

17.   (new): The method of claim 4 wherein the stored configuration table is stored in a telematics unit.

18.   (new): The method of claim 4 wherein a plurality of configuration tables are available to the electronic module.

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19. (new): The computer usable medium of claim 7 wherein computer program code for configuring an electronic module comprises computer program code for placing a call to a telematics call center and computer program code for receiving the electronic module parameter from the call center.

20. (new): The system of claim 12 wherein means for configuring an electronic module comprises means for placing a call to a telematics call center; and means for receiving the electronic module parameter from the call center.